The Great Eastern Mail, from Bultimore, Philadelphia, New York, caton, &c., and Beffalo, &c., arrives at 6 %, a. m., and 7 %, p. m., sily? and the mail to be sent from the effice, to suit by those area, will be closed, as hereotofore, at 2 and 6 o'closel, p. m., daily. The Southern Mail will be closed bereafter daily at 5 ½ and 5 olock, p. m.; and will be received, as hereotofore, daily, 57, 50 lock, a. m., and 8, p. m.
The Second Eastern Mail closes at 9, p. m., and the Great Western it closes at 2, p. m., daily. The mail trains north of Philadelphia to arrive here by 6 ½, a. m. No Eastern Mail is received at this office on Sunday night, and no Eastern it is sent on Sunday night, and no Eastern it is east on Sunday night, and no Eastern

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The Mail from Georgetown, B. C., is received twice daily, by 8, a. a., and 6, p. m., and tis closed for those places at 9 p. m.

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The Mail from Rockville, &c., Md., is received daily, except Sunday, by 5, p. m., and closes of those places by 0, p. m., (ally.

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Port Tohacco, &c., Md., received Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday by 5, p. m.; closed Sunday, Tocaday, and Thursday at 9, p. m.

Warrenton, Middleburg, &c., Va., received daily by 6, p. m.; closed find by 7, received ally by 6, p. m., (allowed at 9, p. m.)

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The postage on newspapers, and that on all printed matter advessed to any foreign country, is required to be paid in advance.

The office is open from 8 clock, n. m., to 8½ colock, p. m., daily cosel Sonday; and on that day it is open from 8 to 10, n. m., and om 6½ to 73, p. m.

Port Tobacco daily ; other places on the route as above.

RATES OF POSTAGE - DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN.

RATES OF DOMESTIC POSTAGE.

Letters, for each half ounce, under 2,000 miles, prepaid, 3 cents, rer 3,000 miles, prepaid, 10 cents. All letters must be prepaid by amps, or enclosed in stamp envelopes, or they will not be for arded.

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Transient Newspapers, Periodicals, Circulars, &c., to any part of the United States, no weighing over 3 ounces, 1 cent, and 1 cent for each additional ounce, prepayment required.

Books, prepaid, not weighing over 4 ponds, 1 cent per ounce for any distance in the United States under 3,000 miles, and 2 cents an ounce over 3,000 miles, prepayment required. All fractions over the ounce being counted as an additional ounce.

Newspapers and Periodicals not exceeding 1½, ounce in weight, when paid quarterly inad-ance and circulated in the State where published—Delfy per quarter, 22½; six times per week, 10½, tri-weekly, 6½; sem-weekly, 6½; sem

RATES OF LETTER POSTAGE TO FOREIGN COUNTRIES.

To England, Ireland, and Scotland, (California, Oregon, and Washington excepted.) 24 cents 35 oz. From California, Oregon, or Washington, 29 cents 35 oz. French mails, 15 cents 35 oz., 30 cents 75 France and Algeria, by French mails, 15 cents 35 oz., 30 cents

To Franco and Augers, by Prussian closed mail, 30 cents ½ oz.

To German States, by Prussian closed mail, 30 cents ½ oz.

Do by French mail, 21 cents ½ oz. 42 cents ½ oz.

Do by Hrennen mail, (axcept Bremen, Frankfort, Luxemburg, Wurtemburg, Holland, and the Netherlands,) 15 cents ½ oz.

Do by Hamburg mail, oxcept Hamburg, Frankfort, Luxemburg, Wurtemburg, Holland, and the Netherlands, 12 cents ½ oz.

To Bremen, by Hamburg mail, 10 cents ½ oz.

To Hamburg, by Hamburg mail, 10 cents ½ oz.

To Frankfort and Wurtemburg, by Bremen or Hamburg mail, 22 cents ½ oz.

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To Laxenburg, by Bremen or Hamburg mail, 25 cents \$\(\) 02.

To Laxenburg, by Bremen or Hamburg mail, 21 cents \$\(\) 02.

To Holland and the Notherlands, by French mail, 21 cents \$\(\) 02.

To Austria and its States, by Prussian closed mail, 36 cents \$\(\) 02.

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To Russia, by Prussian closed mail, 37 cents \$\(\) 02.

To Russia, by Prussian closed mail, 30 cents \$\(\) 02.

To Prussia, by Prussian closed mail, 30 cents \$\(\) 02.

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Do by Bremen or Hamburg mail, 25 cents \$\(\) 02.

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To Peru, 22 cents 3; oz.—prepared.
To West Indies, British, (except Turks' island,) 15; cents 3; oz. if distance does not exceed 2,500 miles—prepared.
To Sandwich Islands, New South Wales, and China, by mail to San Francisco, thence by private ship, 10 cents 3; oz.—prepared. Norst.—In all cases where the word prepaid is not added, the pre-payment of the postage is or anal with the sender.

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RATES OF CHARGES FOR HACKNEY CARRIAGES, CABS, &c.

Extract from an act of the Corporation, approved March 20, 1842.] Extract from an ort of the Corporation, approved March 20, 1842.)

Sec. 12. And be it exacted, That from and after the passage of this act, the following rates of fare or charges for the conveyance of persons from one place to another in the city of Washington, in backney carriages, cale, or other vehicles, carrying passages; for pay or hire, between daybreak and eight o'clock p. m., shall not be exceeded—that is to say, for each any every passager, for a distance over one and a-half mile, twenty-dive cents for any distance over one and a-half mile, and not exceeding three miles, fifty cents. Provided, to case any backney carriage, cab, or other vehicle, ball be obtained for a longer period than five minutes, the driver thereof chalf be allowed for the whole back, eab, or other vehicle, the sum of twelve-and-a-half cents for every fifteen minutes so detained; and for all conveyances or other detaintons later than 5 o'clock p. m., the owner or driver of backney carriages, cabs, or other vehicles, may demant and receive at the rate of fifty per centum on the foregoing charges, in addition thereto.

The whole machinery employed to conduct the business arising out our freign relations with all the powers of the world is far more mape than is generally conceived. The number employed in the pepartment of State of the United States is saily seventien, as follows on Secretary of State. (If on. Lewis Canar) one Assistant Secretary date, (If on. John Appleton.) one chief clark, twelve clarks, one trans-

all of like character received are registered and filed, their contents being first outered in an analytic table or index. Consular Brench.—This branch has charge of the correspondence, i.e., between the department and the consuls and conumercial agents of the United States. In it instructions to those officers, and answers to their desputches and to lotters from other persons asking for consular agency, or relating to consular affairs, are prepared and recorded. The Dibbursing Agent.—He has charge of all correspondence and other matters counceled with accounts relating to any fund with the disbursement of which the department is charged.

The Tensalacter.—His duties are to furnish such translations as the lepartment may require. He also records the commissions of consuls and vice counts, when not in English, upon which exequaturs are essued.

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Clerk of the Rolls and Archives.—He takes charge of the rolls, or enrolled acts und resolutions of Congress, as they are received at the department from the President, prepares the authomicated copies thereof
which are called for; prepares for, and superintends their publication,
and that of treaties, in the newspapers and in book form; attends to
their distribution throughout the United States, and that of all documents and publications in regard to which this duty is assigned to the
legariment; writing and answering all letters connected therewith,
this charge of all Indian treaties, and business relating thereto.

Clerk of Authorizations and Copyrights.—He has charge of the
social of the United States and of the department, and prepares and
accounts for the fear. Has charge of publications transmitted to
the department under the laws relating to copyrights, records and
the diplomatic and consultar.

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*Clark of Pardons and Passports—He prepares and records pardon and remissions; and registers and files the petitions and papers of which they are founded. Maken out and records passports; keeps ally register of all letters, other than diplomatic and consular, recoved, and of the disposition made of them; prepares letters rolating.

Hon. Jeremiah S. Hlack, Attorney General of the United States; A. B. IcCalmont, esq., chief clark. The ordinary business of this office may eclassified under the following heads:

L. Official opinions on the current business of the government, as fled for by the Yeesleuit, by any head of department, or by the Scitter of the Treasury.

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Secretary of the Department of the Interior, Hen, Jacob Thompson, of the State of Mississippi. Its clerical force consists of one chief clerk, (Moses Kelly, esc.), two disbursing clerks, and ten other regular clerks; and to its supervision and management are committed the following branches of the public service:

Ist, The Public Lands. The chief of this bureau is called the Commissioner of the General Land Office. The Land Bureau is charged with the survey, management, and sale of the public domain, and the issuing of titles therefor, whether derived from confirmations of grants made by former governments by sales, domations, of grants for schools, military bounties, or public improvements, and likewise the revision of Virginia military bounty land claims, and the issuing of scrip in licent thereof. The Land Office, also, audits its own accounts. The present Commissioner is Hon. T. A. Hendricks, of Indiana. Its principal officers are, recorder, clerk legislations, and some 150 clerks of various grades.

24. Penevar.—The present liesed of this bureau is George C. Whiting, of Virginia. The commissioner is charged with the examination and adjudication of all claims arising under the various and numerous laws passed by Congress granting bounty land or pensions for the military or navel services in the revolutionary and subsequent wars in which the United States have been engaged. He has one chief clerk, (S. Cole, esq.) and a periament corps consisting of some ninety other clerks.

34. Indian.—Commissioner of Indian Affairs, Charles E. Mix, of Georgetown, D. C. He is provided with a chief clerk and about affacenther motion and performance of all "act and thlugs touching and respecting the grant-mercone for a chief clerk and about affacenther motion and performance of all "act and thlugs touching and respecting the grant-

ninety other cierus.

30. Indiana.—Commissioner of Indian Affairs, Charles E. Mix, of Georgetown, D. C. He is provided with a chief clerk and about affaen other subordinate clerk. In the burean is committed the execution and performance of all "acts and things touching and respecting the granting and issuing of patents for new and useful discoveries, inventions, and improvements;" the collection of statistics relating to agriculture; the collection and distribution of seeds, plants, and cuttings. It has a chief clerk—who is by law the acting Commissioner of Patents in the absence of the Commissioner—twelve principal, and twelve assistant examiners of patents, some dozen subordinate permanent clerks, besides a considerable number of temporary employees. Hon. Analyk has the Commissioner, and Samuel T. Stegeri, etq., Chief Cirk.

Basiles these toos grincipal branches of this now executive department, the organic act of 1849 transferred to it from the Treasury bepartment the supervision of the accounts of the United States marshals and attorizes, and the clerks of the United States courts, the managements of the United States in the Interior is cludy in the State Experiment of Public Buildings. The haspital for the insano of the army and many and of the District of Columbia; and from the State before the Commissioner of Public Buildings. The haspital for the insano of the army and many and of the District of Columbia is also under the assaugacioner of this department; in addition to which, by laws recently passed, the Seprenty of the Interior is charged with the construction of the three wages reade [passing to the Patent Coast.

The department requires an additional building for its accommodation, and the straight of me has been repeatedly recommended during the institute of with recombine are of the department, including the Patent Construction of the three series of the Patent Office is provided with recons in what is input as a "Winder' Building," while the other transfers of the Countries of the Countries of t

Treasury Department consists of the offices of the Secretary reasury, two comptrollers, commissioner of the customs, six a

ses, and of the force employed therein, respectively:

Secutary's Office.—Hon. Howell Cobb, Secretary of the architect, and three draughtsmen temporarily employed, and twenty-three cierks. The Secretary of the Treasury is charged with the general supervision of the facal transactions of the government, and of the operation of the laws concerning the commerce and navigation of the United States. He superintends the survey of the coast, the light-house establishment, the marina hospitals of the United States, and the construction of certain public buildings for custom houses and other pur

Pirat Comptroller's Office.—Hos. William Medili, Comptroller, and afteen clerks. He prescribes the mode of keeping and rendering accounts for the civil and dipiomatic service, as well as the public lands, and revises and certifies the balances arising thereon.

Second Comptroller's Office.—I M. Cotts, esq., Comptroller, and seventeen clarks. He prescribes the mode of keeping and rendering the accounts of the army, eavy, and Indian departments of the public service, and resums and certifies the balances arising thereon. typic of Commission of the Customs Sarpuel logbam, esq.
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First Auditor's Office.—Thomas I. Sime esq., First Auditor, and mineteen clerks. He receives and adjust the amounts of the enstown nineteen clerks. He receives and adjusts the amounts of the enstown revenue and disbursements, appropriations and expense on account of the civil list and under private acts of Congress, and a the balances to the Commissioner of the Customs and the First Comptreller, respectively for their decision thereon.

Second Auditor's Office.—Thomas J. D. Fuller, Second Auditor, and sound one clorks. He receives and adjusts all accounts relating to the pay, clothing, and recruiting of the army, as well as armories arrenals, and ordnance, and all accounts relating to the Indian depart-ment, and reports the balances to the Second Comptroller for his deci-tion thereon.

sion thereon.

Third Anditor's Office —Robert J. Atkinson, eeq., Third Anditor, and seventy-eight clerks. He receives and adjusts all accounts for subsistence of the army, fortifications, Military Academy, military reads and the Quactermaster's department, as well as for pensions, claims arising from military services previous to 1816, and for horses and other property lest in the military service, under various acts of Congress, and reports the balances to the Second Comptroller for his decision thereon.

Fourth Auditor's Office.—Aaron O. Dayton, esq., Fourth Auditor, as ixteen clerks: He receives and adjusts all accounts for the service be Navy Department and reports the balances to the Second Conroller for his decision thereon.

Fifth Andilor's Office.—Murray McConnel, esq., Fifth Andilor, and x clerks. He recuives and adjusts all accounts for dipionatic and inflar services performed under the direction of the State Department, and reports the balances to the First Comptroller for his decision between

Sixth Auditor's Office.—Dr. Thomas M. Tate, auditor of the Treasure ye for the Post Office Department, and one hundred and fourteen clorks. He receives and adjusts all accounts arbing from the service of the Post Office Department. His decisions are alreing from the service of the Post Office Department. His decisions are final, unless an appeal be taken in twelve months to the First Compreher. He super-intends the collection of all detts due the Post Office Department, and il penalties and fortiethers imposed on postmasters and mail contractors for falling to de their duty; he directs suits and legal proceedings, civil and criminal, and takes all such insecures as may be authorized by law to enforce the prompt payment of moneys due to the department; instructing United States attorney, marshale, and clerks in all matters relating thereto; and receives returns from each term of the United States on payment of debts due the Post Office Department, and has power to sell and dispose of the same for the benefit of the United States.

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Treasurer's Office.—Samuel Casey, esq., Treasurer, and thirteen
clorks. He receives and keeps the moneys of the United States in his
own office, and that of the depositories created by the act of the 6th of
August, 1846, and pays out the same upon warrants drawn by the
Secretary of the Treasurer, countersigned by the First Comptroller, and
upon warrants drawn by the Postmaster General, and countersigned
by the Sixth Auditor, and recorded by the Register. He also helds
public moneys advanced by warrant to disbursing officers, and pays
out the same upon their checks.

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Register's Office.—Finley Bigger, esq., Register, and twenty-nine clerks. He keeps the accounts of public receipts and expenditures receives the returns and navigation of the United States; and receives from the First Compirelier and Commissions of Customs all accounts not vouchers devided by hem, and is should be judy with their safe-keeping.

Scienter's Office.—Here, James Hellyer, Solutior, and six clorks. Re superindends all civil suits communiced by the United States, (or opt those crising in the Post Office Department), and instruces the United States attorneys, marchalls, and clocks in all matters relating them and their results. He receives returns from each term of the united States courts, showing the progress and continuous of such suits has charge of all lands and other property assigned to the United States in payment of debts, (accept those maigned in payment of death, the Post Office Department,) and has power to sell and dispose the same for the benefit of the United States.

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Light House Reard.—Hon. Howell Cobb, Secretary of the Treasury, 22 office, president; Com. W. B. Shubrick, United States many, chairs, Major, A. H. Bowann, corps of engineers, United States army; Capt. A. A. Humphreys, United States army; Frof. A. D. Bache, Superintendent of Coast Survey; Frof. Boosph Henry, secretary of Smithoman Institution; Commander E. G. Titton, United States many, and Captain Wm. B. Franklin, United States army, secretaries; and five clerks. This board directs the building and repairing of light-boares, light-ressels, buoys, and beacons, contracts for supplies of oil, &c.

United States Goost Survey.—Professor A. D. Bache, LL. D., superinandent, and superintendent of weights and measures.

Capt. William R. Palmer, corps topographical engineers, United States Army, in charge of the Coast Survey Office; Lieut. A. S. Hill, Smited States Army, is charge of the Coast Survey Office; Lieut. A. S. Hill, Smited States Army, substant.

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on. Samuel Hein, disbursing agent. George Mathiot, electrotypist. Joseph Saxton, assistant to superintendent of weights and measures POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT.

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Hon. Aaron V. Brown, Postmaster General. The direction and management of the Post Office Department are assigned by the constitution and laws to the Postmaster General. That its business may be the more conveniently arranged and prepared for his final action, it is distributed among several bureaus, as follows: The Appelatment Office, in charge of the First Assistant Postmaster General; the Contract Office, in charge of the Second Assistant Fostmaster General; the Finance Office, in charge of the Taird Assistant Fostmaster General; the Finance Office, in charge of the Taird Assistant Fostmaster General; the Finance Office, in charge of the Taird Assistant Fostmaster General; and the Inspection Office, in charge of the Chief Clerk.

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Appointment Office.—Horatio King, esq., First Assistant Postmactor General, and nineteen clerks. To this office are assigned all questions which relate to the establishment and discontinuance of post offices, charges of sites and names, appointment and removal of postmasters and route and local agents, as, also, the giving of instructions to post-masters. Festimasters are furnished with marking and rating starsps and lotter behances by this bureau, which is charged also with providing blanks and rationery for the use of the department, and with the superintendence of the several agencies established for supplying postmasters with blanks. To this bureau is likewise assigned the supervision of the occan mail steamship lines, and of the foreign and in ternational postal arrangements.

percision of the occan mail steamship lines, and of the foreign and international postal arrangements. He had been also as a second Assistant Postmaster General, and twenty six cierks. To this office is assigned the business of arranging the mail service of the United States, and placing the
same under contract, cubracing all correspondence and proceedings are respecting the frequency of trips, mode of conveyance, and times of departures and arrivals on all the routes; the course of the unal between
the different sections of the country, the points of mail distribution, and
the regulations for the government of the domestic mail service of the
United States. In prepares the advertisements for mail perposals, receives the bids, and takes charge of the annual and occasional mail teltings, and the adjustment and execution of the contracts. A applications for the extablishment or alteration of mail arrangements, and the
appointment of mail messengers, should be sent to the office. All
claims should be authoritied to it for transportation service not under
contract, as the recognition of said service is first to be obtained through
the Contract Office as a necessary authority for the proper credits at
the Auditor's Office. From this office if postmasters at the ends of
router receive the statement of mail arrangements prescribed for the
respective routes. It reports weekly to the Auditor all contracts executed, and all orders affecting accounts for mail transportation; prepares the statistical exhibits of the mail service, and the reports of the
mail lettings, giving a statement of each bid; also, of the contracts
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additional allowances granted within the year.

Finance Office.—John Marron, esq., Third Assistant Feathmaster Gen-

maile, the new service originated, the curtailments ordered, and the additional allowances granted within the year.

Finance Office.—John Marron, esq., Third Assistant Postmaster General, and twenty-one clerks. To this office are assigned the supervision and management of the financial business of the department, not devolved by law upon the Auditor, embracing accounts with the draft offices and other depositaries of the department, the issuing of warrants and drafts in psyment of balances reported by the Auditor to be due to mail contractors and other persons, the supervision of the accounts of offices under orders to deposite their quarterly balances respect to the dead of the accounts of offices under orders to deposite their quarterly balances at designated points, and the superintendence of the rendition by postmasters of their quarterly returns of postages. It has charge of the dead-letter office, of the issuing of postage stamps and stamped envelopes for the pre-payment of postage, and of the accounts connected therewith.

To the Third Assistant Postmaster General all postmasters should direct their quarterly returns of postage; those at draft offices, their letters reporting quarterly the net proceeds of their offices; and those at depositing offices, their certificates of deposite; to him should also be directed the weekly and monthly returns of the depositaries of the department, as well as all applications and receipts for postage stamps and stamped envelopes, and to deal letters.

Impection Office.—Benj. N. Gements, esq., chiefelerk, and seVenteen clerks. To this office is assigned the duty of receiving and examining the registers of the arrivals and departures of the mains, certificates of the service of route agents, and reports of mail failures; of noting the declinquencies of contractors, and preparing cases thereon for the action of the Postmaster General; furnishing binaks for mail registers, and reports of mail failures; of noting the across of mail failures; of noting the across of mail depr

The Navy Department consists of the Navy Department proper, being the office of the Secretary and of two bureaus attached thereto, viz Bureau of Navy yards and Jocks, Bureau of Navy yards and Jocks, Bureau of Carlamant, and Repair, Bureau of Previsions and Ctohing, Bureau of Ordinance and Hydrography, and the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery.

The following is a statement of the duties of each of these offices and of the force employed therein;

Secretary's Office—Hon, Isaac Touccy, Secretary of the Navy; Charles W. Weish, esq. chief clerk, and electen clerks. The Secretary of the Navy has charge of everything connected with the naval establishment, and the execution of all laws rulating thereto is injurated to him, under the general direction of the President of the United States, who, by the constitution, is commander of squadrous and commanders of peacels, all orders of officers, commissions of officers both in the any of the parine corps, appointments of commissioned and warrant officers, orders for me emissional and discharge of sequent, enamined from the Secretary's office. All the duties of the different bureaus are performed unser the authority of the Secretary, and their orders are considered as emananting from him. The general superintendence of the marine corps forms, also, a part of the duties of the Secretary, and all the orders of the commandant of that corps should be approved by him.

of hie barreau, four clerks, one civil engineer, and one stranghtenan. All the havy yards, docks and wharves, buildings and machinery in navy yards, and everything immediately connected with them, are under the superintensionee of this bureau. It is also charged with the management of the Naval Asylum.

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Barests of Construction, Equipment, and Repair.—John Lenthall, esq., chief of the bareau, eight cierks, and one draughtsman. The office of the engineer in chief of the navy, Samuel Archbold, esq., is attached to this bureau, who is assisted by three assistant eighteers. This bureau has charge of the building and repairs of all vessels of war, purchase of materials, and the proyriding of all vessels with their equipments, as sails, anothers, water-tanks, &c. The engineer in chief superristends the construction of all marine steam engines for the eavy and, with the approval of the Secretary, decides upon phase for their construction.

Buseau of Procisions and Clothing.—H. Bridge, purser United States navy, chief of bureau, and four clerks. All provisions for the use of the navy, and clothing, together with the making of contracts for furnishing the same, come under the charge of this bureau.

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Historical of Gelausce and Hydrography.—Capt. Duncan Ingraham, ridef of bureau, four cierks, and one draughtsman. This bureau has disage of all ordinance and ordinance stores, the manufacture or purchase of charmar game, gaylers shot, shells, &c., and the equipment of rescale of war, with two ruling competed therewith. It also provides them with mans, charge, chromosores, increases, &c., to gother with girch becks as are furnished ships of war. "The Holiza States Naval Messay with a diptrographed Office" at Washington and the Naval Academy at a smarphis, are also under the goueral singular statements of the chart of this legicies.

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Adjutant General's Office—Col. Samuel Cooper, Adjutant General Assistante—Berest Major E. D. Townsend, Brovet Capt. S. Williams, and Brovet Capt. J. F. Garesche. Judge Advocate, Brevet Major John F. Lee, nine cieries and one messenger. In this office are kept at the recertist which refer to the performed of the army, the rolls, &c. It is here where all military commissions are made out.

Quartermaster General's Office—Bereet Major General T. S. Jesup, quartermaster general. Assistants—Colonel C. Thomas, Captain M. S. Miller, and Brevet Major J. Belger, eleven clarks and one messenger. Paymaster General's Office—Col. B. F. Larned, psymaster general; Major T. J. Leslie, district paymaster; eight clerks and one messenger.

ceary General's Office.—Gen. George Gibson, commissary gen-atant, Captain M. D. L. Simpson, six clerks and the messen-

Surgeon General's Office —Gen. Thomas Lawson, surgeon gener soletants, Dr. R. C. Wood and Dr. G. K. Wood; three clerks. Engineer Office.—General Joseph G. Tottett, chief engineer; assistant Captain H. G. Wright; five clerks and one messenger. Dipographical Bureau. Col. J. J. Abert, colonel of the corps, as usuat, Captain J. C. Woodruff; four clerks and one messenger.

Ordnance Bureau.—Col. H. R. Craig, colonel of ordnance; assist Capt. Wm. Maynadier; eight clerks and one messenger. TELEGRAPH OFFICES.

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Scoond ward—Wm. H. Fanning, Joseph Williamson, Charles G. Eckloff, and Jamos Ginnaty.

Third ward—Jamos H. Suit, Patrick Gormley, Wm. L. Ross, and Jacob F. King.

Fourth ward—H. T. Watson, H. W. Haskell, Henry Yeatman, and Frankin Zimmenman. Franklin Zimmerman.

Fifth warn—H. C. Harrover, C. W. Arnold, Jacob Ask, Heury
Nach, and Reuben Collins at the Railroad Depot.

Sixth ward—Francis S. Riclen and James S. Smith.

Soventh ward—John M. Lloyd, James A. Gill, S. N. Chipley, and
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DROPOSALS FOR MAIL BAGS.

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Pair Greice Discarracer, Jan. 17, 1869.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this department until nine o'clock, a. in., the Zich say of April ment, for formishing for four years from the first day of July next, in such quantities and at such times as may be required and ordered for the service, mail bags of the following description—to wit:

Carraca Mail Bags or Sacks.

Size No. 1—(44 inches in length and 65 inches in circumference,) to be made of cotton canvas weighing at least fitness ounces to the yard of 22 inches wide; the threads of the warp and well to be composed of five yarus each.

Size No. 2—(44 inches in length and 48 inches in circumference,) to be made of cotton canvas weighing at least fourteen onness to the yard of 25 inches wide; the threads of the warp and welf to be composed or four yarus each.

Size No. 3—(35 inches in length and 38 inches in circumference,) to be made of cotton canvas weighing at least fourteen onness to the yard of 29 inches wide; the threads of the warp and welf to be composed of three yarus each.

The canvas leages of sizes numbered I and 2 are to be made with a tabiling or lenm at the top of two inches wide, upon which a sufficient number (al least ten to the former and eight to the latter) of cyclet holes are to be wrength; and they are to be provided with good and sufficient hemp cord to lace and the them strongly. All are to be well marked, inside and outside, "U. S. Mail," to large and distinct letters.

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cotton vanvas weighing not less than 14 owners with yard of 19 inches width, nor less than 22 owners to the yard of 30 inches width; the threads of the warp and woff to be composed of at least our yarms each.

Leather and Genera Horse Mail Bage.

Size No. 1.—Body 48 inches long and 21 inches wide in the widest parts; ends or bottoms of same being 14 by 26 loches.

Size No. 2.—Body 45 inches long and 18 inches wide in the widest parts; ends or bottoms of same being 14 by 26 loches.

Size No. 3.—Body 42 inches long and 18 inches wide in the widest parts; ends or bottoms of same being 10 by 20 inches.

The leather horse mail bags are to be made of good and substantial bag leather, well tanned, weighing not least than seven ounces to the square foot, and the seams to be well and strongly sewed, or, if rivited, to be so done as hot to chale horse or rider.

The canvas horse-mail bags are to be usale of cotton canvas like that dearched for the larger sized pouches.

Proposals for improvements in the form or construction of any of the above described bags and pouches, or in the materials thereof, are invited, and the relative value and adaptation to the service, as well as specified price of any such improvements, will be considered in determining the lowest and beat bid.

All the articles contracted for are to be delivered at the expense of the contractor, in Boston, Mass.; New York and Abbany, N. Y.; Philadelphia, A. New Orleans, La. Knowville, Nahville, and Memphis, Tenn.; Louisville, Ky.; Cinchinati, Ohio; St. Louis, Mo.; and Chicago, Bl., in such quantities, and at such such times as the department may require and order; and they are to be rigidly inspected before delivery, and none are to be received which shall be inferior, in any respect, to the specimens adopted as the standard bags.

The proposals should a specify the price of each article proposed to be furnished. No proposal will be considered, if not accompanied with specimens or samples of each article hid for, showing the construction, size, and quality

By the President of the United States. By the President of the United States.

JAMES BUCHANAN, President of the United States of America, in pursuance of the provisions of the act of Congress entitled "An act in relation to the lands sold in the Greenshurg, tate St. Helena, land district, in the State of Louisiana, and authorizing the resurvey of certain lands in said district," approved August 29, 1842, and of the acts of Congress authorizing the sale of the public lands, do hereby declare and make known that a public sale will be held at the land office at Gracosicus, in the State of LOUISIANA, commencing on Monday, the second day of May need, for the sale of the unappropriated and vacant tracts of public land situated within the limits of the following named townships and fractional townships, according to the approved plats resurveyed, to wit:

South of the base line and west of the principal meridian. Townships 1, 3, and 4, and fractional townships 5 and 6,

ange 1.
Townships I, 2, and 3, and fractional township 4, as range 2.
Townships I and 2, of range 3.
Fractional township I, 2, and 3, of range 4.
Fractional township I, of range 5. South of the base line and east of the principal meridian.

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Townships 5 and 7, of range 6.

Fractional township 8, of range 6.

Fractional township 8 and 7, and fractional township 8, of range 10.

Township 4, 5, and 7, and fractional township 8, of range 10.

Township 5, of range 11.

Fractional township 8, of range 12.

Township 6, of range 13.

Lands covered by confirmed private claims, appropriated by the

Township 6, of range 13.

Lands covered by confirmed private claims, appropriated by law
r the use of schools, military, and other purposes, together with the
swamp and overslowed," granted to the State by the acts of Concess approved March 2, 1840, and September 28, 1850; also, all
ose tracts for which the petcant have been issued or applied for by
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of the act of 20th August, 1842, rerespondence memorial activities from the sale.

The offering of the above-mentioned lands will be commenced on the day appointed, and will proceed in the order in which they are advertised, until the whole stall have been offered, and the sales thus closed; but the sale shall not be kept open longer than two weeks, and no private entry of any of the lands will be admitted until after the expiration of the two weeks.

Given under my hand, at the city of Washington, this 11th day of January, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine.

JAMES BUCHANAN.

By the President:
Thos. A. Hestoucks,
Commissioner of the General Land Office.

NOTICE TO PRE-EMPTION CLAIMANTS.

Every person entitled to the right of pre-emption to any of the lands within the townships and fractional townships above mentioned is required to establish the same to the satisfaction of the register and receiver of the proper land office, and note preparent therefor as some as practicable after seeing this notice, and before the day appointed for the commencement of the public sale of the lands embracing the tract claimed; otherwise such claim will be forfeited.

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Commissioner of the General Land Office.

Norm—Under the regulations of the General Land Office.

Nor...-Under the regulations of the department, as heretofore and now exti-ting, no payment can be made for advertising proclama-tions except to such publishers as are, specially authorized to publish by the Commissioner of the General Land Once. Jan 18.-1my tay [Int.Star]

UNITED STATES PATENT OFFICE, ON THE PETITION of lichard M. Hoe, of New York, N. Y., praying for the extension of a priorit granted to him on the lat May, 1845, for an improvement in "Printing Presses," for seven years from the expiration of said putent, which takes place on the 1st of May, 1859.—

the expiration of said patent, which takes place on the 1st of May, 1539.

It is ordered that the said petition be heard at the Patent Office on Monday, April 18, at 23 o'clock, m., and all persons dre notified to appear and show cause, if any they have, why said petition ought not to be granted.

Persons opposing the extension are required to file in the Patent Office their objections, apeculty set forth in writing, at least twenty days before the day of hearing; all testimony filed by either party to be used at the said hearing must be taken and transmitted in accordance with the rules of the office, which will be termined on application. The testimony in the ones will be closed on the 4th of April next depositions, and other papers relied upon as testimony must be filed in the office on or befores the meeting of that day; the arguments, if an the office on or befores the meeting of that day; the arguments, if a critical also, that this notice be published in the Union, Washington, D. C., and lay Book, New York, once a week for three successive weeks, the first of said publications to be at least sixey days before the 18th of April next, the day of hearing.

Commissioner of Patents.

P.S.—Editors of the above papers will please copy, and soud the fills to the Patent Office, with a paper containing this notice. Feb 13—lawaw.

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inouties after its completion. And upon the fail ore of the contractor or contractors to contractor to contractor to contractor the work or to complete it within the time mand, or upon his or their failure to execute the work or the materials, and in the manner herein required, the Mayor to have the right of employing eiter persons to do the same, upon and terms as he may deem expecient; in which event the contractor or contractors to failing half pay any loss or damage the contractor or contractors in consequence thereof.

Any repairs or relaying which may be required before the expiration of the time for which the work is warranted to stand to be done by the contractor free of charge within five days after notice from the Constantsonors or contractor or centractors or contractors or contractors and the properties of the work of the work is a variety of the contractor or centractors or contractor or centractors or centractors or centractors or centractors or centractors. In the case of the same on such forms as he may deem expedient, in which event the contractor or centractors as failing shall pay any loss or damage the corporation may useful in consequence thereof.

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The blodders will state the rates at which the curbing, paving, and flagging will be executed, incleding materials.

For setting new outh of New York North river curbotone, per running foot.

For setting new curb of blue rock or guelss, per running foot.

For laying new stone pavement, per square yard.

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For laying (whether executing of filling) per cubic yard.

For grading, (whether executing of filling) per cubic yard.

For laying down blue rock flagging, per square foot.

For laying down a New York North river flagging, per square foot.

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at the rates at which the following work, exclusive of materials, except the graved and sand which may be required:

For setting new cureb, including dressing, per running foot.

For laying new brick pavement, per square yard.

For taking up and reasetting old cureb, per running foot.

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For taking up and relaying old stone pavement, per square yard.

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No bid will be received which does not include an offer for each separate item of work and materials.

Contracts will not be assignable.

By law the Mayor is prohibited from awarding contracts for the above work to any person or persons who are not practical pavers.

JAMES G. BERIERT,

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DROPOSALS FOR WELLS, PUMPS, &c.

Washington, February 8, 1859.

PROPOSALS in writing will be received at this office up to 12 o'clock, m., on the Sth day of March next, for making pumps, hydrants, logs for conveying water, and for sinking wells, landming all occassary materials and workman-bip, in digging, laying, fixing, and completing in the best manner, and for keeping the same in perfect repair for constant use in the first district, composed of the First and Second wards; and in the accound district, composed of the First and the First and Second wards; and in the third district, composed of the First and to be given to different contractors; for the term of one year, commencing on the first day of April, 1839, agreeably to the following specifications. No bid from any but a practical pump-maker will be considered, and the contractor will be required to conform rigidity.

FOR WELLS.

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Digging and wailing wells, including materials and removing the dirk, per foot, lineal. The wails to be four inches thick, of good hard brick.

Cleaning out wells, each.
Sinking old wells deeper, per foot.
Taking out old wells and putting in same, per foot.
Cases or eight feet length,
do
Cases more than eight feet iength,
Covering new wells, including materials; the covering to be of best Eastern Shore joist, not less than three linches thick, laid double.
Paving new wells, including brick and numn-stone. Paving new wells, including brick and pump-stone, Opening old wells and covering same with old materials, each Opening old wells and covering same with new timber. FOR PUMPS.

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Keeping the pumps in repair, viz: stopping all leaks, &c., when it can be done without taking out the pump, each.

Taking out and putting in old pumps, per log, each.

Making new joints in old logs.

New logs put in old pump, per foot.

New boxes and spouts in old pumps, each.

New pumps, per foot.

Boxes and spouts for new pumps, each.

Copuer chambers for pumps.

All top pieces to square 11 inches, clear of sap, of the best white oak, and fourteen feet leng. Lewer timber to be 11 inches in diameter.

All top pieces to square 15 inches, clear of sap, of the best white oak, and fourteen feet leng.

FOR HYDRANTS.

Keeping the bydrants in repair, viz: stopping all leaks, &c., all new vrives and spouts, and repairing the old ones, and repairing the old rens belonging to them, when it can be done without taking the hydrant out, each.
Taking out hydrants and putting in same, each.
New hydrants, per foot.
Spout for hydrants, each.
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Putting pumps and hydrants three costs, each.
But will be received for hydrants from practical plumbers.

IRON WORK. Hundles, axles, spears, plates, bands, and repairs, per pound.

Spout and lower box-irons for pumps, such.

New joints to old spears.

New spout and valve-irons for hydranis.

The work and the materials to be all of the best quality of their research binds.

positive kinds.

No offer will be received that is not made by a practical pump-naker. No offer will be received that is not made by a practical pumpmaker.

Contracts will not be assignable.

The person or persons whose offer may be accepted will be required to enter into bend for one thousand dollars, with two good sureties, conditioned for the faithful performance or his or their contract; and should say contractive or contractors fad or retuse to comply with any of the conditions or terms of his or their contract, or to execute any work within the time named in the order of the Commissioner directing it to be d. uv., the Mayor is, authorized to employ any other persons or persons to execute the same or to furnish the materials upon such terms as he may deem expedient; in which event the contractor or contractors as failing shall be responsible to this corporation for any loss or damage it may sentain thereby, and the Mayor may all his discretion annul the contract of such contractor or contractors.

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JAMES G. HERRET, Mayor.

Separate proposals will be received for keeping the pumps in repair for the year to the satisfaction of the Commissioner's of Improvements of the several districts. Bits will state the price pur pump each. The contractor to furnish materials of every kind which may be required by said Commissioners for all repairs, both above and below the surface, and cleaning out the sells, and also paving around the pumps.

JAMPS G. BERRET, Mayor.

KINNEY & HOLLY, Attorneys-at-Law and General Land Agents, NEERASKA CITY, N. T.

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AND WARRANTS docuted and sold. Lands solurity at 20 and 30 per cent. Collections made and remitted. Suitable for Senator Horor of Mesouri; Senator Polk, of Missouri; Senator Fours, of Iowa; Hen. T. Fergussen, Nebrasic Territory; Hen. Jac. Cruig, Missouri; Hen. W. R. W. Cobb, of Alabama; Hen. J. McGueen, South Carolina; and Gov. S. W. Back, Nebrasics Territory; Hen. Senator Heroin, and Gov. S. W. Back, Nebrasics Territory; the above firm, can be found until March at the Kirkwood House, or at 519 Twelfile street.

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UNITED STATES PATENT OFFICE,

ON THE PETITION of David Bruco, je., of Brooklyn, New York, praying for the extension of a patent granted to him on the 7th June, 1345, for an improvement in machine for centing printing typ., for seven years from the expiration of said patent, which takes place on the 7th day of diato, 1850—

It is ordered that the said petition be heard at the Patent Olice on Monday, the 23d day of May next, at 12 o'clock, m., and all prisons are notified to appear and show cause, if any they have, why said petition ought not to be granted.

Persons opposing the extension are required to file in the Patent Office their objections, specially set forth in writing, at least twenty days before the day of hearing, all testimony filed by either party be used at the said hearing must be taken and transmitted in secondance with the rules of the office, which will be furnished on application.

The testimony in the case will be closed on the 7th of May depositions, and other papers relied upon as testimony, non-be filed in the office on or before the morning of that day; the arguments, if any, within ten days thereafter.

Ordered, also, that this notice be published in the Union, Washington, D. C., and Inity News, N. Y., case a week for three weeks the first of said publications to be at least sixty days before the 23d of May next, the day of hearing.

Destrict Holl, Commissioner of Patents.

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P. S.—Editors of the above papers will please copy, and send their hills to the Patent Office, with a paper containing this notice. Mar 3—law3#